

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 10 SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98101

November 2, 1988

REPLY TO ATTN OF:

HW-113

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:

Mixed Funding Monies for Colbert Landfill

FROM:

Charles E. Findley, Director

TO:

Thomas R. Sheckells, Director Resources Management Staff

The mixed funding Consent Decree for Colbert Landfill has been signed by Spokane County, the responsible party. In the Consent Decree Spokane County agrees to perform the Remedial Design and Remedial Action (RD/RA), valued at \$14 million, if EPA contributes \$1.4 million towards that effort.

Late last fiscal year Region 10 returned to Headquarters \$2.3 million of its non-site remedial allowance. At that time we requested that \$1.4 million of that amount be designated for the mixed funding RD/RA at Colbert. I understand that had the Consent Decree been fully executed prior to the close of the fiscal year, the \$1.4 million would have been designated for Colbert. As it was, FY88 carryover funds were pooled with FY89 dollars, and the requested funds were not set aside for Colbert. Hence, Colbert still needs \$1.4 million in order to finalize the Consent Decree.

I understand from our SCAP coordinator, Christine Psyk, that there are RA funds available in Headquarters, and I request that \$1.4 million be designated for the Colbert Landfill mixed funding Consent Decree.

Should you or your staff have any questions, please contact either Christine Psyk at FTS 399-2104 or Neil Thompson, Remedial Project Manager for Colbert, at FTS 399-7177.

cc:

Walter Johnson, HQ

